



NEW EXHIBITION IN THE FORT OF NERINGA



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Supported by the EEA Grants and Norwegian Financial Mechanisms (2009-14) for cultural heritage programme, the Lithuanian Sea Museum together with the partner Stavanger Museum has implemented the project “Neringa Fort Conservation and its Sustainable Use”.

Neringa fort is the only survived example of the XIX c. Prussian fortifications in Lithuania. It is a unique maritime cultural heritage building, the history of which started in 1871. Having lived for more than 70 years, the fort was ruined at the end of World War II. Revived as the Lithuanian Sea Museum, the fort has been receiving visitors since 1979.

Over 3 decades during which the museum and the fort served the public needs the buildings and constructions of the fort strongly depreciated, the bottom of the fossa - a defensive moat - has not been cleaned since 1978.

The project “Neringa Fort Conservation and its Sustainable Use” aimed at improving the state of the fort: cleaning out the fossa, renovation of 3 capponieres to house the exhibitions, renovation of the fort-guard’s room to establish a new exhibition about the history of the Neringa Fort.

Starting from the season of 2017, the visitors are welcome to the renovated fort with well established rooms and premises for cultural and educational activities and the new exhibition, situated just at the entrance to the fort.



Photo. *New Exhibition about Neringa Fort*

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